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PART II - MISCELLANEOUS NOTIFICATIONS OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC

NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS Etc.,

REVENUE DEPARTMENT (VIGILANCE-II)

Memo. No.488210/Vig.II(1)/2017.

REGISTRATION & STAMPS DEPARTMENT - Sri P.PADMANABHAM, JOINT SUB-REGISTRAR-1, REGISTRAR OFFICE (ORIGINAL BRANCH), BHIMAVARAM (NOW RETIRED) - DISCIPLINARY PROCEEDINGS INITIATED - REGULAR ENQUIRY CONDUCTED - INQUIRY REPORT COMMUNICATED REPRESENTATION NOT RECEIVED - PROVISIONAL DECISION TO IMPOSE PUNISHMENT OF WITHHOLDING 100% OF CUT IN PENSION BESIDES RECOVERING Rs.23,46,918/- - SHOW CAUSE NOTICE ISSUED UNDER APRPRS 1980 - REPRESENTATION - CALLED FOR REG.

- Ref:- 1. DIG, R&S, Eluru Charge Memo.No.X/263/2013, dt:12.8.2013.
 - 2. DIG, R&S, Eluru Lr.no.X/263/2013, dt:8.2.2017.
 - 3. Govt., Memo.No.488210/Vig.II(1)2017-1, dt:27-2-2017.
 - 4. DIG, R&S, Eluru, Lr.No.X/263/2013, dt:11.9.2017 along with enquiry report.
 - 5. Memo.No.488210/Vig.II(1)/2017-2, Dated:27-11-2017.
 - 6. From the C&IG, Letter No.X2/535/2017, Date: 30.07.2024.

In the reference 1st cited, the Deputy Inspector General. Registration & Stamps, Eluru has framed following article of charges against Sri P.Padmanabham, Joint Sub-Registrar-I, Registrar Office (Original Branch), Bhimavaram (now Retired):

Charge-I:That Sri P.Padmanabham, former JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku and JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram, while working as JSR-I at Tanuku failed to adopt proper market value as per the Market Value Guidelines Register being maintained for that purpose and caused loss of Revenue to a tune of Rs.23,46,918/- during his stay while registering the documents.

Charge-II: That Sri P.Padmanabham, former JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku and JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram, during the period of enhancement of Market Values, which came into force from 1-8-2010 has committed grave misconduct in as much as he being the JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku by irregularly registering 2 documents resulting loss of Rs.2,78,105/- violating the C&IG, R&S instructions vide Cir.Memo.No.Vig.2/9827/2010, dt:10-3-2011.

Charge-III: That Sri P.Padmanabham, former JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku and JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram, during the period of enhancement of Market Values, which came into force from 1-8-2010 has committed grave misconduct in as much as he being the JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku by irregularly registering 80 documents, caused loss of Rs.20,68,813/-.

Charge-IV: That Sri P.Padmanabham, while working as Jt.SR-I, Tanuku and at present JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram has allowed registration of 84 documents mentioned in the above charges III and IV, which exceed Rs.1.00 Lakhs per each documents / and below one lakh. Thus, Sri P.Padmnabham willfully and wantonly committed violation of the instructions given by the C&IG, R&S, Hyd., vide Memo.No.IA/16340/2009, dt:3-7-2012.

- 2. In the reference 2nd cited, the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Eluru has informed that the Charged Officer retired from service on 31.08.2013. So far no defence statement received from the incumbent and also given reasonable opportunity to the charged officer vide proceedings dated 04.05.2015, 03.08.2015, 27.05.2016 & 25.01.2017 to give defence statement, if any, in the matter but he did not turn up so far and requested the Government to take further action as Charged Officer retired from service.
- 3. Government have examined the matter and observed that charges have been framed against Sri P.Padmanabham, former Joint Sub-Registrar-I, Registrar Office (Original Branch), Bhimavaram (Retired on 31.08.2013) while in service and requested the Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Eluru to furnish the inquiry report as per Rule 9 (2) (a) of Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980 vide reference 3rd cited.
- 4. The Deputy Inspector General, Registration & Stamps, Eluru has informed that the Regular Enquiry Officer in her report has reported that though reasonable opportunity has been given thrice to the charged officer, neither he has appeared before the enquiry nor he has sent a representative to defend his case nor he submitted any written defense of statement and coming to a conclusion that there is no defense on the part of the charged officer to offer and reported that the

charges framed against the charged officer has held proved. The Regular Enquiry Officer in her findings has concluded and opined that the charged officer is found guilty of all charges I to IV framed against him and the charges are held proved which involves deficit stamp resulting loss to the Government exchequer to a tune of Rs.23,46,918/- vide reference 4th read above.

- 5. Government, examining the Inquiry report, have communicated the copy of regular enquiry report to the charged officer with a request to offer his representation if any on the findings of Inquiring Authority within 15 days from the date of receipt of the memo vide reference 5th cited and in the reference 6th cited the Commissioner and Inspector General has furnished dated acknowledgement of Sri P. Padamanabham, Sub-Registrar (retired).
- 6. Government, after examining the enquiry report, has provisionally decided to impose penalty of 100% cut in pension against Sri P.Padmanabham, former JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku and former JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram (Retd.) besides recovering Rs.23,46,918/- loss caused during his tenure by following due procedure, under Rule 9 of the Andhra Pradesh Revised Pension Rules, 1980, as the charges against the Charged Officer has been held proved.
- 7. Sri P.Padmanabham, former JSR-I, SRO, Tanuku and former JSR-I, RO (OB), Bhimavaram (Retd.), is therefore directed to submit his representation to the Government, stating reasons as to why the penalty of 100% cut in pension besides recovery Rs.23,46,918/- loss caused during his tenure from his pensionary benefits, should not be imposed against him. This representation should be submitted within 15 days from the date of receipt of this memo, failing which it will be construed that he has no representation to submit and further orders will be passed based on the merits of the case and the material available on record.

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